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For: MERCHANDISE LOCK BAR
SYSTEM AND METHOD

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 19, 2005, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the Claim Listing that begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 6.

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